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Application No.: 10/719,425
Filing Date: November 21, 2003

Examiner: Rhee
Art Unit: 1745

Applicant: Marple, Jack W.
Title: High Discharge Capacity Lithium Battery

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed under 37 CFR § 1.114 in accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.121.

The applicant also hereby requests a two month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated November 15, 2006. Please note that because April 15 falls on a Sunday, the period for response does not end until April 16, 2007.

You are hereby authorized to charge the fees for this action, respectively pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17(a) and (e) for a other than small entity, along with any other charges deemed proper and necessary for entry of this Amendment in view of applicable USPTO regulations, to Deposit Account No. 05-1325.

In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2006, please amend the above-identified application by entering the following items:


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In view of the foregoing, the applicant respectfully submits that the art of record fails to teach or suggest claims 27 and/or 29. As such, reconsideration and allowance of the claims is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendments to the Specification, beginning on page 2 of this paper.

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